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## COMMISSION PICKS CITY DUMP GROUND EAST FROM BRIDGE

Garbage Will Be Disposed of by Throwing in Pease River on Property Owned by Daniel Bond—Mayor Warns of Severe Penalty for Failure to Go 500 Feet From Road.

The city garbage disposal ground is now located about a half mile east of the Pease river bridge, which is due north of town. This location was decided upon by the committee appointed by the city commission some time ago to see about removing the dumping ground from the immediate vicinity of the public road.

The city is permitted to use this location as a dumping ground through the courtesy of Daniel Bond, who owns the premises, his famous Duoro-Jersey hog farm being immediately south.

This new garbage ground is easy of access. The road leading to it turns east just this side of the bridge, and leads to the bank of the river. The refuse is to be taken at least 500 yards from the road and dumped over the bank into the water. It is against the law to dump any closer.

In this connection Mayor Harry Mason warns that this law will be strictly enforced. "The law is that the dumping ground must be at least 500 yards from the public road and we are going to see that it is kept that distance," the mayor continues. "Be sure that you get your garbage at least this distance from the road and be sure that you dump it over the bank into the water."

"The people of Vernon have gotten in the habit of just dumping their refuse anywhere down there near the river that is most convenient but this must be stopped. Only yesterday one man was fined for dumping in the wrong place and I told him that for the next offense the penalty would be doubled and that is the policy I intend to follow."

## GOES TO WASHINGTON WITH WAR RISK INSURANCE BUREAU

Miss Katherine Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Reynolds of Vernon, left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to accept a position in the Bureau of War Risk Insurance. Miss Reynolds resigned a position as teacher of mathematics in the public school at Memphis accept work with the Government. She formerly taught two years in Wilbarger county, and four years at Esteline in Hall county, where she was both teacher and principal.

## AIRPLANE BROUGHT NEWS OF PEACE TO SOLDIERS

Mr. and Mrs. John Weideranders are in receipt of a letter from their son, Jack, in France, telling of the celebration and they received word of the Orlando under.

Destroyer Also. The effect "Courage and resourcefulness of fired his achievement all the more worthy, inasmuch as some destroyer's oil tanks had been struck and it was doubtful whether she would be able to weather the storm.

"Both officers and men on the destroyer responded with alacrity to the commander's orders, and in their humane efforts they all worked like Trojans.

"Scenes after the destroyer had steamed away with her burden of human souls were even more dramatic. The destroyer had come alongside three times and on each successive occasion parties from the Orlando made a desperate leap for life. The destroyer left with nearly 500 persons on board. She had to battle with a wind of extreme velocity and was buffeted by mountainous seas.

"With each successive lurch the vessel shipped great quantities of water, and though pumps were kept going and the boilers emptied, the volume of water was ever increasing.

"The coast with its treacherous reefs, was looming nearer. It was out of

## EXPECTS HOSPITAL WILL SHOW MONEY PROFIT TO COUNTY

Dr. J. E. Dodson Thinks People in Rural Districts Will Be Helped as Much or More By Institution Than Residents of Vernon—Law Specific as to Management.

Dr. J. E. Dodson thinks that the proposed county hospital, for which petitions are being circulated, would be of as much or more benefit to people in the country than to those living in Vernon. He reasons that the people out in the country, being more isolated, find it harder to get proper attention when there is serious illness than do those in the more thickly populated towns. This must be true, no matter how great an effort is put forth to get nurses for the country home.

The question was asked, suppose an entire family should become sick, as has been true in more than one case, who would bring them to the hospital? "The hospital ambulance" is the answer, and the doctor thinks that surely, when an entire family is stricken, a hospital would be of imminent aid in caring for them.

It is also asked if it would be possible to bring people to the hospital in case the roads become bad again as they were during the latter part of December. Those who are urging the hospital answer "yes," except in cases where the roads are so bad it would be impossible for a physician to get out to the country to treat a patient. In the case of almost impassible roads, a patient could be brought into the hospital in the ambulance and then the problem of getting a physician and medicine would be simplified. Roads might make it impossible for a doctor to get to the patient in his home regularly, or to get medicine when needed. This would also give the physician more time to look after other sick people, Dr. Dodson points out.

### Training School for Nurses.

Another benefit to be derived from the hospital, it is pointed out, is that it would serve as a training school for nurses; thereby offering opportunity for training to many, and providing a number who are trained in caring for the sick in case of emergency. Continuing, Dr. Dodson says:

"The law in regard to the management of the county hospital is very plain and specific. It says, 'the commissioners court shall appoint five citizens of the county, of whom two shall be practicing physicians, and at least one a woman, who shall constitute a board of managers of said hospital.'"

"The managers shall receive no compensation for their services."

"All duties of the board of managers are prescribed by law."

"A hospital here would be as much or more benefit to the people in the country than those in town. The county hospital in Wichita Falls paid \$7,000 net last year. That was profit to the county. I feel sure that a county hospital here will more than pay expenses.

"The spirit that prompts the building of a monument—a memorial to our boys who went into the army should commend itself to every loyal citizen in the county. Every woman who kissed her loved one good bye and bade them God speed would like to see a monument built in honor of her hero.

"In that monument, in a conspicuous place, should be a bronze tablet with the names of all the boys who went in, listed on it, and special mention be made of those who were wounded, or killed, or whose supreme sacrifice."

freely. This is the case with our town.

"We are also having superintendent Ranger field, which Oil Mill was situated south of Vernon, by about noon field is being developed the mill. He town and Ranger. I have his condition. He whispered that there is a building a test well down in the recovery, Vernon.

"I will be one of twenty-five in the take \$1,000 of stock in a test well, 4,000 feet deep, unless gas or oil is struck in paying quantities at depth. Now friend of Vernon and surrounding country. If you want to make Vernon an oil town, get busy, organize your company and put up your money. Mine is ready. Signed: J. H. KINCHLOE."

"Ach Gott Vor Mir Been To Use of All Dose: All 1918."



## OFFERS WYANDOTTE EGGS TO CLUB GIRLS

DR. W. M. SCHINDLER WILL ALSO GIVE PRIZES TO WINNERS AT FAIR.

Dr. W. M. Schindler announces that he will give a limited number of settings of eggs from his Buff Wyandottes, to members of the poultry clubs. The only condition is that they must be hatched not later than April 10.

In addition to giving a number of settings of eggs, Dr. Schindler announces that he will offer the following cash prizes at the County Fair: \$3 first, \$2 second on best cockerel; \$3 first, \$2 second on best pullet; \$5 on best pen.

These cash prizes are also open to any one purchasing eggs from Dr. Schindler. At the State Poultry Show, held December 26 to 30, Dr. Schindler won first cockerel; first, second, third, and fourth pullet, and first pen on Buff Wyandottes.

## POSTOFFICE IN NEW HOME BY FEBRUARY 10 IS PLAN

Postmaster J. V. Townsend expects to be able to move into the new Federal building by the 10th of February. The building is almost completed, with the exception of some of the more tedious finishing touches, and Foreman Sable says he hopes to have completed the structure by the first of the month.

One car of the fixtures have not yet arrived, although they have been on the road for some twenty days. The tables, desks and cases for the general delivery window are included in this shipment. These are expected to arrive every day now, and it is not thought that they will cause further delay after the building is completed.

### Bank Building Being Repaired.

Carpenters started yesterday on the work of repairing the Farmers State Bank building which was recently damaged by fire. The two front office rooms upstairs were burned out and it is estimated that the repairs to the building will amount to something like \$2,500. R. I. Jones has charge of the carpenter work.

## \$17,000 PAID IN PROPERTY TAXES

COLLECTORS REMIND VOTERS THAT PROHIBITION WILL BE SUBMITTED THIS YEAR.

Only about \$17,000 had been paid in on city property taxes up to last night. Taxpayers this year is unusually slow, according to the county and city collectors. With six more days in which taxes may be paid about sixty per cent of the city assessments remain unpaid. A considerably larger per cent of the county taxes have been paid but there is still a great deal out and the collectors, both city and county, again warn the delinquent tax payers that it will mean time saved to them if they will attend to the payment of their assessments as soon as possible.

Up to last night there had been about 100 state and county poll tax receipts and forty city poll tax receipts issued since last Monday. There have been 745 state and county poll taxes paid in all. Three women and 142 men have paid their city poll taxes. The poll tax receipts issued from both offices represent just about one-third of what they will when all the voting men in the city and county pay their poll taxes. Only sixteen women have paid their city poll tax.

In this connection the local tax collectors call the attention of the voters to the fact that it now seems evident that there will be several constitutional amendments come before them this year. This will probably be an inducement to those who have not paid their poll tax heretofore when there was no election in sight, and the "last days" rush will probably be greater this year than ever before.

Following is the list of the voting precincts of the county and the number of poll taxes paid: West Vernon, 128; East Vernon, 116; Oklamoon, 32; Harrold, 34; Ronda, 3; Mack, 10; Lockert, 48; Highland, 54; Tolbert, 57; Odell, 69; Downs, 29; Hinds, 32; Haney, 27; Guyer, 14; Fargo, 43; Elliott, 28; Farmers Valley, 31.

## RECORD AD SELLS NEBRASKAN STOCK

KANSAS MAN BOUGHT RIBBON CANE SYRUP ADVERTISED IN RECORD.

The most convincing proof to Chas. L. Greene and his associates in the oil business that advertising pays, and particularly in The Vernon Record, is an experience of theirs with a buyer in Nebraska. Mr. Greene placed an advertisement for the Burk-Wagoner Oil Company in The Vernon Record. A subscriber living in Nebraska noticed the inquiry, buying \$5,000 worth of stock by telegraph.

Another recent long distance sale is reported by Parker-Smith Grocery Company. A reader of The Record living in Kansas saw an advertisement of Parker-Smith Grocery Company, and noted that they offered pure ribbon cane syrup for sale. He wrote for two gallons of it.

Adam Douglas received an inquiry from Galveston about Buff Wyandotte eggs as the result of an advertisement he placed in The Record. Mr. Douglas says that the inquiries he has received from people living in Wilbarger and adjoining counties convinced him that people do read Record advertising.

Mr. Douglas' statement is substantiated by many local readers of The Record, who say they frequently find as much of interest in the advertising columns as in the news items.

## MILFORD ROUSE MAKES PUBLIC DECISION TO BE MISSIONARY

Announcement was made at the Baptist Church Sunday, by Rev. W. T. Rouse of the decision of his son Milford, to devote his life to missionary work. Milford has contemplated this work for some time, but only recently made known his decision. He is a student at Baylor University, having graduated from the local high school last spring with first honors.

It is likely that Milford will pursue the study of medicine, which was one of his plans before he had graduated from high school, going to the foreign field as a medical missionary.

## OFFICER PRAISES HOME SERVICE OF VERNON RED CROSS

Miss Susan B. Ramsey Made Official Visit to Local Chapter Tuesday Evening—Home Service Division Must Look After War Risk Insurance, Compensation, and Vocational Work.

The Wilbarger Chapter American Red Cross was graded 100 per cent Tuesday evening on its home service work. The grading was done by Miss Susan B. Ramsey of the Southwestern division of the Red Cross, who came to Vernon on an official visit.

Miss Ramsey is going over Texas because Red Cross Chapters in the State are doing little home service work. In fact, so many chapters are doing practically nothing, that Texas grades only 19 per cent in home service work for 1918.

A campaign is being inaugurated for the purpose of getting each Red Cross chapter interested in home service, because this is now, Miss Ramsey says, the most important phase of Red Cross work. Not only does the home service division have to look after the war risk insurance for soldiers who are coming home and providing for the families of those men who are in the ranks, and whose allotment frequently fails to reach them on time, the home service division must also take charge of the matter of compensation for disabled soldiers, and getting such men as may wish it placed for vocational training which the Government is providing for disabled men.

The local Red Cross had a case Wednesday of a man who was injured in the war, and was unable to get a job.

Mrs. Bertha Ross, in charge of the home service work, which will provide for this man who has been wounded in the service of his country.

Mrs. Ross says the Red Cross is helping about sixty families a month in one way or another. As many as seventy-four letters have been written by the local home service office in one month about allotments, allowances, war risk insurance, and missing soldiers. The service is free. It is provided without cost by the Red Cross.

Mrs. Ross says the Red Cross is getting out a booklet entitled "When You Get Home," for the purpose of answering questions which may arise concerning the men who have been in service, or their families. This has the approval of the Government, and will be ready for distribution at an early date.

Miss Ramsey went from Vernon to Crowell. She will attend a conference on home service work to be held in Wichita Falls February 7 and 8. Two from Vernon will receive entertainment at the conference.

### SHOWER FOR MISS CRAWFORD.

Missionary Ruths Follow Bible Study With Surprise for Member Whose Home Burned.

Mrs. R. D. L. Killough was leader of devotional exercises for the Missionary Ruths, who met with Mrs. S. E. Trevathan Tuesday afternoon. Mission study was conducted by Mrs. J. G. Sherman.

After the study, Mrs. Trevathan announced that some literature had been received, and handed the package to Miss Faye Crawford to open. It was a miscellaneous shower that the members of the society had planned for Miss Crawford, whose home burned recently.

Five new members were received. They were Mmes. R. D. Shive, E. F. Piper, John Brown, B. O. Brown, and P. W. Hendrix. Rev. and Mrs. Henry F. Brooks were present. Rev. Brooks announced that the officers of the Missionary Ruths would be installed at the next communion service of the church.

Mrs. Trevathan served brick cream in gold and white, and cake.

### Schuetz Injures Hand in Gin.

Richard Schuetz suffered a painful injury last Tuesday when he got his hand caught on the saws of the Lockett gin. All fingers on his right hand were considerably lacerated, the flesh being torn to the bone in some places. None of the bones were injured, however, and it is not thought that any amputation will be necessary.

## COMMITTEE NAMED TO PLAN DETAILS OF HIGHWAY ISSUE

Mass Meeting of Farmers and Business Men Select Committee to Work Out Details for Voting Not Less Than Million Dollars Worth of Bonds for County-Wide Improvement.

A committee representing practically every community in Wilbarger county will meet in Vernon next Tuesday to consider the details of floating a county-wide bond issue of a million dollars, or more, for the purpose of constructing a system of permanent highways in Wilbarger county. This decision was reached at a mass meeting held in the courthouse yesterday afternoon. About seventy-five business men and farmers attended, and the opinion was unanimously expressed that the present is an opportune time to launch a campaign for a road bond issue.

After a question of road conditions had been discussed from every possible angle, the meeting authorized the appointment of a committee of fifteen or twenty representative citizens to obtain estimates of construction cost of roads not inferior to concrete, and to make a recommendation as to how much road can be built for a million dollars. The following committee was named and it is called to meet in Vernon Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock: W. T. Collins, J. P. Hamilton, C. S. Smith, E. B. Gillis, R. E. Harrell, R. Cobb, J. F. White, S. L. Pace, T. C. Frost, F. S. Lockett, R. P. Price, T. J. Milner, W. E. Sullivan, R. B. Wilkinson, J. M. King, M. Rainwater.

Representative business men of Vernon will meet with these men and out of this meeting will come a definite program for launching the campaign. Both farmers and business men yesterday expressed a desire to get the campaign on at once, and it is probable that by the close of next week petitions calling for an election will be presented to the Commissioners Court.

The meeting yesterday was harmonious. No opposition was expressed, one man said at the outset he was uncertain as to the wisdom of the move, but later said he would pay his part along with the rest if it was decided to go ahead with the campaign.

### Four Cardinal Roads.

Nothing definite in the way of a recommendation as to the location of the roads was made, further than it seemed to be the unanimous opinion of those present that at least four cardinal roads leading from Vernon should be constructed.

The location of one of these roads, of course, is certain. It is understood that the main highway running east to west through the county should be paved from the Wichita county line to the Hardeman county line. Another road would extend southwest to the Ford county line, and a third would be built north. It was also suggested that two roads should be built into North Wilbarger.

These, and other detailed questions, will be considered at the meeting to be held here Tuesday. It is very much desired that every one of the men appointed on the committee be in Vernon for the meeting Tuesday afternoon.

The temporary organization of yesterday was made permanent with a view of using it as a nucleus for the campaign that is to follow.

### SAYS BOLLS MAKE GOOD FEED.

Farmer Insists They Have as Much Food Value as Cotton Seed Hulls Mixed With Meal.

T. H. McCourt, living southwest of town saves everything when he brings a load of bolls to town. He catches the bolls and takes them back home to feed to his cattle. Mr. McCourt says that by grinding the bolls and mixing with a little meal he makes a feed that the cows eat readily and which seem to fatten them.

"In my opinion there is as much food value in the common cotton boll which most farmers consider as refuse and useless except for fuel as there is in the cotton seed hulls," Mr. McCourt continued. "I grind my bolls and mix in some cotton seed meal and I wouldn't want any better feed for cattle."

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## More's Theatre

TODAY—FRIDAY.

DOROTHY GISH

in  
"THE HOPE CHEST."  
Also Nestor Comedy,  
"THE SLOW EXPRESS."



—SATURDAY—MONROE SALISBURY in "HUGON, THE MIGHTY." Also Lure of the Circus, "THE FLYING LOOP" and Big V., 2 reel Comedy.

MONDAY

ELSIE FERGUSON

in  
"UNDER THE GREEN WOOD TREE."

Story is a delightful one, and affords the charming star with one of the finest roles of her successful screen career. Also Comedy.

Tuesday—MARGARITA FISHER in "THE MANTLE OF CHARITY."

Wednesday—WALLACE REID in "TOO MANY MILLIONS."



## Oklahoma News.

Oklahoma, Jan. 20.—(By special correspondence.)—The beautiful sunshine that we have been having for the past week will be of great help to the wheat. The farmers will soon have pasture for their stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Gatewood from Letha Lake have been visiting friends and relatives the past week.

Wiley Greathouse has been real sick with smallpox, but is reported to be doing fine at this writing.

E. P. Powell and family have moved from the I. M. Smith farm to Harold, John Turpin's sister of Duncan, Okla., who has been visiting him, returned home the latter part of last week.

The family of J. H. Brock have all been sick with influenza.

Len Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, came home on a week furlough Monday. Len has been in the Navy fifteen months.

Rev. Canham filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

P. M. Everett and family have moved to Fargo, where Mr. Everett has bought a farm. We wish them success in their new home.

Mrs. Jim Long of Joshua, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brock, this week.

Vally Jobe is visiting friends and relatives in Ravenna this week.

Burge and Jude Gatewood, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Gatewood, have returned home from Camp Travis having received an honorable discharge. Mr. and Mrs. Gatewood also received a telegram from another one of their sons, Shang, whom they thought was missing, saying he was safe, but had not yet started back to the states.

### First Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45. You are tardy if not in your seat right on the dot.

Preaching at 11 and 7:15 by the pastor, Enthusiastic and inspirational music led by the large choir and orchestra under the direction of Prof. Paul Goetze. Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

W. T. ROUSE, Pastor.

Call Walter Ladd's Service Car. Phone 188 or 121. Adv. 99-91p

If you have oil stock to sell place it with us. If you want to buy oil stock, see us. City Bakery. Adv. 11c

Mrs. J. R. Lowell and daughter, Miss Gie, returned Tuesday from Wichita Falls after visiting relatives and friends.

**NAUSEALESS CALOMEL IS BEST FOR FLU**

Doctors and Druggists Claim Calotabs, the Nauseless Calomel, is Best Laxative for Colds, Grippe and Influenza.

At the first sign of a cold, is the time to take a Calotab, the perfected nauseless calomel that has all the liver benefits left in and the sting taken out. Doctors say that there is nothing like it to put your liver right and keep your system in condition to resist and avoid colds, influenza and pneumonia.

The best insurance against influenza and pneumonia is a good active liver and your physician or druggist will tell you that Calotabs is the most thorough and effective, as well as the safest and most agreeable remedy for this purpose.

One Calotab at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure, or work. Next morning you awake feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Your cold has vanished and you are ready for work or play. Calotabs are sold by druggists everywhere in sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Your money handed right back if you are not delighted. Adv. 31c

## Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Jan. 20.—(By special correspondence.)—Our Sunday School, which has been stopped because of the epidemic of influenza, was started again Sunday with a good attendance.

Mrs. Dolly Fennell and sister, Miss Bessie Patton, have the influenza.

Mrs. Maggie Bolton of the Hinds community, visited her mother, Mrs. Will Nunn, Sunday.

J. L. Burk, who has been working in Burdett since in September, visited home folk Sunday. He says there is all kinds of work there.

Miss Lucy Crawford of Vernon spent Saturday night with Miss Ione McMahon.

Mrs. Fleet Oliver and Miss Ione McMahon visited Mrs. Aleck Anderson of the Hinds community, Saturday.

Mr. Rusk spent the week with his father-in-law, Mr. Chadwick.

Dallas Tally spent Sunday with Buford Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Luttrell of Vernon visited his brother, Ike, and family Sunday.

Leon Brooks and Bud Oliver spent Sunday with Caleb Hilderbrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Enel Brooks visited his mother, who is very ill, in Vernon, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Ferguson is visiting her

cousins, the Liles girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan of Vernon visited Fleet Oliver and family Sunday.

Messrs. J. E. Lutz and G. C. Morris were out looking over the wheat crops Sunday.

County Superintendent J. N. Fulcher visited our school the past week.

Crawford Buys Richardson Home.

J. L. Crawford has purchased the G. W. Richardson home on South Mesquite street. Mr. Crawford expects to move to his new home soon. His home on South Main street was destroyed by fire about two weeks ago.

If you have oil stock to sell place it with us. If you want to buy oil stock, see us. City Bakery. Adv. 11c

Born—Wednesday, January 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Duncan, 7 miles southwest, a boy.

## E. L. WITTY & CO.

We Write All Kinds of Insurance  
Fire, Tornado, Hail, Plate Glass  
and Bonds.

Farm Insurance a Specialty.  
Office: Hotel Vernon Bldg. Phone 409

## Pure Mebane Cotton Seed

from Lockhart; also Mebane seed from cotton that has been grown in Wilbarger county one year. A limited quantity of Lone Star seed. In 2 and 3 bushel sacks. At M. G. Neathery building on North Main Street. See

O. A. McCALEB

## Can You Expect?

If the sound eye will make such errors, what must one expect from the defective eye, whose power of focussing or irregular shape does not permit of a perfect image being pictured on the retina at any time?

### Always distorted

For instance, the person with pronounced Astigmatism never sees the world with any degree of correctness until he wears lenses which compensate exactly for his deficiencies—then everything is a revelation.

### Wide-range vision.

Again, Glasses accurately adapted extend the range of vision of a short-sighted person. Instead of his being able to see clearly and distinctly for only a few inches beyond his nose, he is no longer limited, and distant objects reveal themselves which had hitherto been unrecognizable.

### A long-sighted mistake

Then there's the long-sighted man who imagines his sight to be excellent, just because he can see things distinctly which are a long way off. When put to the test about things near at hand, he has to admit that his eyesight is not all he could desire it to be.

### Who needs help?

People possessed of any of the before-mentioned defects, or a combination of them, are in a constant state of Optical Illusion, for they never see the world as it actually is; and it is safe to assert that seventy eyes in every hundred need the skilled service of the competent optician.

*C. M. Lentz*  
JEWELER & OPTICIAN

## "The good old times? There were none."

THEY'RE here now. You are getting more and paying less for it in effort and hours—your welfare is guarded with more privileges—your independence is more thorough—your rights are more absolute than those of any generation since Ancestor Adam developed a fondness for apples. —Herbert Kaufman

There are more opportunities for men with ready money today than ever before. Ready money comes only with steady saving.

**THE FARMERS STATE BANK**  
VERNON TEXAS

## At the PICTORIUM THEATRE

FRIDAY.

ALICE BRADY

supported by

MAHLON HAMILTON

in "THE DEATH DANCE."

Also FATTY ARBUCKLE COMEDY.

SATURDAY.

MAE MURRAY in "DANGER, GO SLOW."

Billy West 2 Reel Comedy.

MONDAY.

"FALSE AMBITION"

featuring

ALMA RUBENS.

BOBBY VERNON COMEDY.

COMING:

HARRY MOREY in "HOARDED ASSETS."

WEDNESDAY—MAE MARSH in "RACING STRAIN."

## At the Theaters

### More's.

Today—"The Hope Chest" deals with the adventures of the impulsive daughter of a vaudeville actor who, after many trials, finds love and happiness. Dorothy Gish, the charming Paramount actress, has a delightful role in this new photoplay. As Sheila Moore she plays the part of a beautiful waitress who works in the store of a rich merchant. The son walking through his father's big confectionery establishment meets and starts a flirtation with this waitress, only to be scorned. They finally fall in love with each other and she teaches his haughty family some lessons in democracy.

Monday—Miss Elsie Ferguson appears in the new Aircraft photoplay, "Under the Greenwood Tree." This is a charming picture, the story dealing with the adventure of a jaded English society girl of vast wealth who deserts her high social circles to take up the simple life of a gypsy in the forest. This simple life is well enough until a young Englishman, played by Eugene O'Brien, under the impression that she is a real gypsy, woos and wins her. Miss Ferguson is supported by a competent cast of screen players.

### Pictorium.

Today—Alice Brady appears in "The Death Dance." This story deals with the trials of a dancing girl who is being put to the test, but who is found to be "different." A rich society man wagers that he can win her in two months. Later he meets her and becomes interested in her ambition to become a singer. He plans a divorce from his unfaithful wife in order that he may marry the dancing girl but is killed before he gets the divorce. How later for death is sought and how the would-be murderer turns the weapon on himself is told in the rest of the story.

Saturday—The story of how a New York "alley rat" became the belle of Cottonville and made a crook "go straight" is told in "Danger, Go Slow," the six reel Universal Special Attraction in which Mae Murray will appear. She escapes when a bunch of her fellow crooks are caught by the police and finally lands in the home of a motherly old woman in a neighboring town, who is constantly pining for a lost son. The girl crook recognizes his picture as that of one of her fellow accomplices in safe cracking. The story of how she rescues him to his mother, and to herself is told in a charming manner.

Monday—Alma Rubens, the delightful and beautiful screen star is given a rather unique role in "False Ambition." This play is a pictureization of the wives of women and their influence on the destinies of nations and men. The story deals with a beautiful girl whose only ambition is to obtain riches. The schemes she uses during her career as a fortune teller to cheat her patrons furnish many of the thrills of the picture. How she finally meets one with whom she really falls in love and who changes her viewpoint of life is told in the conclusion of the story.

### Notice to the Public.

The fire which recently destroyed my office burned all my books and accounts, and those who know themselves indebted to me will please call to see me at once and make settlement if possible. If you are not able to pay now, come in and let us agree on the amount you owe and let me open up my account books. My loss in the fire was very serious and I will need every dollar I can collect.

DR. SILAS BALLARD.

Mrs. S. C. Smith and children left yesterday morning for Bell, Mo., where they will make their home with her father. Mrs. Smith's husband died about a month ago from influenza and pneumonia.

## Hinds News.

Hinds, Jan. 23.—(By special correspondence.)—Everyone is taking advantage of the pretty weather we have had the last ten days by finishing their boll crops, hauling in feed and moving.

Mr. Phillips and family have moved from the Ed Smith place to one of A. Allison's houses, vacated by Frank Crossland.

Health of the community is very much improved.

All of the Walker children are about well of the influenza.

Mrs. Mary Tyson of Davidson, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Muller, this week.

Robt Caldwell and family visited at the home of W. W. Welch in Red Bluff Sunday.

The teachers and most of the officers of the Sunday School met at P. B. Barrett's Wednesday night with the pastor of the church to discuss and talk over a way to increase the interest and attendance of the Sunday School. They decided to have a contest, ending at the close of the quarter. The side that is defeated is to give the winning side an ice cream supper. Colors to represent the different sides are red and blue. Miss Vivian Lane is secretary for the reds and Gladys Allison for the blues.

Mr. King and family came up from Harold Saturday to visit with M. R. Taylor. Mrs. King is a sister of Mr. Taylor.

The families of P. B. Barrett, Wes Jordan and Royce Lane all of Red Bluff, visited at the home of Tom Duke Sunday.

Quite a number from this and adjoining communities attended singing Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allison's.

Jack Moody of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Roy Allison.

A Mr. Turner is moving this week to the Magness place, vacated by Jack Moore.

Mrs. Frank Anderson and daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Magness.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the recent illness and death of our son and brother.

MR. and MRS. D. L. BOONE,  
and children.

## TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts your liver without making you sick and can not salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

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## \$50 Pig For a Name

We want a name for a registered Duroc Jersey pig four months old and ask our friends to help select one.

This pig is a giant and promises to make a championship animal. We will give a \$50 registered pig to the person suggesting the name that we accept. A double name is desired, and will give preference to one beginning with "Vernon." Each person is entitled to suggest one name. The contest is open to men, women and children. Only employees of the hog farm or of the Vernon Cotton Oil Company are barred from the contest. Purchasers of pigs this season may propose names and if successful will receive \$50 in cash or another pig, as preferred.

## VERNON DUROC-JERSEY FARM

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## THE BIRDS FLY STOCK and get prices be-

to avoid the cold. And snow, the thrifty squirrel remembers that the best up-to-date STYLES on our seems to sense the change, consisting of all the new finishes in all the living room, Walnut and Oak. We also have a today as if of Reed-Fibre goods, the latest patterns out. We deliver we still have a very large stock of RUGS, wide view we are selling at last year's prices.

are cordially invited to call and see the bargains have for you.

## T. J. Youngblood

FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS.



## FUND TO INCREASE SALARIES PAID TO TEACHERS IS URGED

**Governor Also Recommends Appropriation of \$1,000,000 to Enable Schools to Be Kept Open 9 Months in Sparsely Settled Communities—Says Court Decisions Must Be Speeded Up**

Austin, January 23.—(By special correspondence.)—An appropriation of \$500,000 each for 1920 and 1921 was urged upon the Legislature yesterday by Governor W. P. Hobby, in addition to available school funds, to be used for increasing salaries paid teachers.

The Governor's program also calls for other liberal appropriations for schools, reform of the judiciary, the enactment of laws to facilitate home-seekers. In brief, the following is what Governor Hobby asks of the present Legislature:

An appropriation of \$500,000 each for 1920 and 1921 in addition to the available school funds, to be used to increase salaries for teachers.

An appropriation of \$1,000,000 during the present year to maintain the school appropriation of \$7.50 per child.

An appropriation of \$1,000,000 out of the general funds to enable the schools to be kept open nine months in areas where the limit of 50 cents on each \$100 is insufficient to maintain the schools during the full period.

A constitutional amendment to permit the consolidation of small school districts into larger units where road conditions will permit.

**Status of Colleges.**

A constitutional amendment to define the status of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts, and the State Normal Schools, embracing the authority for a bond issue of \$10,000,000 for a permanent endowment fund for these institutions. The Governor recommended that the 2,000,000 acres of land now reserved for the University of Texas be marketed by the State. This would not only provide funds for educational development, he said, but would increase the tax revenue in counties in which the lands are located, develop agricultural and grazing lands and would offer opportunity for returning soldiers to embark in the ranching or farming business advantageously.

A constitutional amendment to enable the State to extend credit to help citizens acquire homes either through co-operation with the Federal Land Bank or independently. This amendment, Governor Hobby declared, would have an added degree of usefulness to the discharged soldier.

**Reforms of Judiciary.**

The subject of judicial reforms was treated at length. The Governor cited instances of conflict between the two courts of last resort, the Supreme Court and Court of Criminal Appeals, saying: "We are placed in the embarrassing position of having a statute that is wholly valid in the eyes of one court and at the same time wholly void in the eyes of another court, whose decisions are equally binding on the citizens, the inferior courts and the officers of the law."

Long delay in final decisions in court cases now amounts to a substantial detriment to justice many times, the Governor said. The Supreme Court is late, and the Court of Criminal Appeals is slow. It is known that the Court of Criminal Appeals is in a position of reform was risk in trying to revive content-Orranto under such suggestion that did not hesitate, and the Supreme Court he was able to rescue a court should damaged vessel, is a stark business his magnificent seams, subdivide

**Destroyer Also.**—A kind of "Courage and resource" that prohibits achievement all their speedy worthy, inasmuch as some of the destroyer's oil tanks had been damaged and it was doubtful whether under severe handicap she herself would be able to weather the storm.

"Both officers and men on the destroyer responded with alacrity to the commander's orders, and in their humane efforts they all worked like Trojans."

"Scenes after the destroyer had steamed away with her burden of human souls were even more dramatic. The destroyer had come alongside three times and on each successive occasion parts from the Orranto made a desperate leap for life. The destroyer left with nearly 500 persons on board. She had to battle with a wind of extreme velocity and was buffeted by mountainous seas."

"With each successive lurch the vessel shipped great quantities of water, and though pumps were kept going and the boilers emptied, the volume of water was ever increasing."

"The coast with its treacherous reefs, was looming nearer. It was out of

counties adjoining that in which the crime was committed; the re-enactment of the drouth relief bill of the previous Legislature; a revision of libel laws, child-labor and other measures affecting the workers directly; construction of better roads, more effective laws for the protection of the public health, and a more adequate depository law.

The Governor urged the appointment of a special committee to inquire into and recommended laws to bring about a more equal and uniform taxation, suggesting the creation of a State Board of Equalization as a partial solution of the tax problem. He proposed a gross receipts tax not to exceed 2 per cent on the production of oil as being in keeping with that levied by other States. Concluding, he urged favorable action upon all demands and recommendations incorporated in the State platform adopted by the State Convention at Waco.

### Obituary.

Miss Jewell Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Robinson, was born April 10, 1900, and fell asleep in Jesus December 21, 1918. Jewell professed faith in Christ at the early age of twelve years and was baptized by Rev. Jimmie Smith in the fellowship of the Odessa Baptist Church. She lived a pure and faithful Christian life, leaving all the evidences behind her to prove this, for Christ said, "By their fruits ye shall know them." She was one of the leading spirits in our weekly prayer meeting in the neighborhood, and she also attended church as regularly as possible.

Jewell was loved by all who knew her, old and young. Everybody was partial to Jewell who knew her. If she had an enemy we have no knowledge of it. In fact, she gave her precious young life to save others, for she went day and night for three weeks before she died, waiting on the sick. Finally she was seized by a severe chill, followed by a high fever. For three days the doctors and a host of kind friends could give her no relief, and on the third day God called the spirit home to heaven.

We know that Jewell has gone to that brighter world. We know, too, that it is a great consolation to the heartbroken parents that their child departed from this life and left such a record as she left. Still, it was so hard to give her up right in the bloom of her life. Jewell leaves behind her a host of relatives and loving friends to mourn her death.

BY A LOVING FRIEND.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hazlewood have returned to their home in Oklahoma City after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hatt.

## Dawson Valley News

Dawson Valley, Jan. 23.—(By special correspondence.)—Mrs. W. S. Bourland is recovering from an attack of influenza.

J. C. Sherrard and B. H. Lewis made a business trip to Fort Worth last week in interest of the new school building, which will be erected this summer.

Mrs. Varborough is sick this week with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fellers and family and S. B. Fellers visited in Eldorado, Okla., last week.

Miss Pauline Ramsey reports that twelve new pupils have been enrolled at school this week. This makes a total of fifty-six pupils.

Mrs. C. E. Woods and children visited relatives in Electra last week.

E. Bourland is spending the week in Burkburnett.

Orva Cook is able to be in school again, having recovered from influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ware and children are sick with influenza.

Lieutenant Roy S. Bourland has gone to Wichita Falls and Burkburnett for a few days.

Sam Bourland has received his discharge from Camp Travis and will be home soon.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends, who have spoken words of love and sympathy to us, in the lonely days that have followed since we learned of the death of our dear son and brother—our soldier boy. May God's richest blessing be with you in our prayer.

MR. and MRS. R. R. BROOKS, and family.



VISITORS HERE

are strangers but once. Ever afterward this restaurant seems like home. The food, the service and the appointments happily combine the promptness and efficiency of military methods with an atmosphere suggesting home and old fashioned hospitality. We shall be glad to bid you welcome.

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Here is your opportunity to try, at our expense, the exquisite Soul Kiss Face Powder. No matter what kind of powder you've been using, Soul Kiss will develop complexion possibilities beyond your fondest hopes. It's like opening up a treasure-chest of charm and beauty.

Cut out this ad—take it to your druggist today—and he will give you, free of charge, a generous trial packet of Soul Kiss Face Powder. This offer is only for a limited time, so get your free packet now.

At Your Druggist's

*All This Week*

## COAL

Colorado's Best Coal.

It whispered that there is a car of coal every few days, both getting coal straight from car to wagon.

"I will be one of twenty-five of 40c a ton in price, and you get take \$1,000 of stock in a test well—black. Phone your orders now. 4,000 feet deep, unless gas or struck in paying quantities at depth. Now friend of Vernon and surrounding country. If you want make Vernon an oil town, get busy, organize your company and put up your money. Mine is ready. Signed: J. H. KINCHLOE."

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One-half of the one-eighth Royalty of the entire Sibley tract, of which our 30 acres is a part, sold for \$100,000.00 at Ranger on Saturday, Jan. 11.

We have \$60,400 already subscribed, leaving a balance of \$10,600 remaining unsold.

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4. That dividends shall be paid as received monthly, no amounts to be reserved outside of the following: That after 100 per cent dividend is paid then 10 per cent of amounts received thereafter shall be laid aside for drilling well No. 2 and in like manner well by well shall be drilled until twelve wells in all shall have been drilled, allowing 2 1-2 acres per well.
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## LEGAL DELAY AND MOB LAW.

Bragg Williams was burned in Hillsboro Monday. The negro had been sentenced to be hanged February 21 for the murder of Mrs. George Wells and her child, December 2, 1918, after which he set fire to the house to conceal his crime.

There were in this case none of those unending delays which wear out the jurors and inflame the patience of the public—features so regrettable in many of our criminal cases. Little evidence of the mob spirit was noticed until the negro's lawyers, having been refused a new trial, gave notice of an appeal. Then an infuriated public wracked its vengeance upon the black man.

But it said, to the credit of the men who defended Bragg Williams that they did it by appointment of the court, and under protest.

Mob law always blackens a community. It carries a sinister warning that men's passions do overpower their judgment. It precipitates us toward anarchy.

On the other hand, the legal fraternity must accept responsibility for the spirit of disrespect for law which makes possible such a spectacle as that which Monday blackened Hillsboro's good name. Fewer than one murderer than ten is hanged, and fewer than one in three pays any penalty for his crime.

"The law's delay" is responsible for most of this. New trials, secured as a result of a maize of technicalities which the legal fraternity has woven, appeals and reversals without regard to the guilt of innocence of the prisoner or whether an error committed had anything to do with meeting out of justice—these things have given birth to a disrespect for law—an impatience of even necessary delays—that, unchecked, threaten imminently the perpetuity of free institutions.

"Due process of law" has ridden roughshod justice and decency.

Upon the lawyers of America rests an awful duty, and a no less glorious opportunity, of seeing that while the world is being reconstructed legal procedure is simplified.

## BETTER RURAL SCHOOLS.

Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, is authority for the statement that 75 per cent of our rural schools are of the one-teacher, one-room variety. This, Miss Blanton suggests, is the most expensive, because it is the least effective kind of school in proportion to the expense of maintenance.

Not only is one consolidated school more economical than several small ones, from the standpoint of school grounds, farm, laboratories, library and supervision, but, as Miss Blanton points out, the consolidated school, with its school-house containing an auditorium for social gatherings, with its laboratory for the service of the community, with its library, its teacherage and school farm, will do much to retain in the rural districts teachers of ability and by enriching country life to hold on the farm the country boy and girl and solve the economic problem of balancing the relative

number of producers and consumers."

"There are sparsely settled portions of the State in which the problem of the one-teacher school can not be solved, but, in general," Miss Blanton insists, "school consolidation, with the prospective advance in the good roads movement, can be carried out effectively."

Higher food prices next year are being anticipated by army officials. For two reasons this expectation should spur Wilbarger county farmers to the largest production of foodstuffs within the realm of possibility. In the first place, higher prices for food will mean more money to the farmer who grows food products to sell. More important is the fact that higher prices may mean that some will go hungry unless we produce our own foodstuffs. The home gardener, too, will have an added incentive to try his skill in food production. He may do this with fair promise of success since our soil has stored its capacity of water during the fall. Tested seeds and intelligent cultivation should practically guarantee bumper returns to farmers and home gardeners in Wilbarger county this year.

That Vernon's most disgusting habit, and the most menacing one from a health standpoint, is being curbed is evident to any pedestrian who observes the sidewalks in the business portion of the town. That this preventive measure has been possible without any arrests for violation of the ordinance shows how respectful we are of law. It is evident, however, that some are still spitting on the sidewalks. Perhaps it is the result of a practice which, grown into habit, can not be overturned in a week. Surely the vigilance of health officers and the spirit of civic pride will in time make it so unpardonable to spit in a public place that no one will be guilty of the offense.

## BURK-WAGGONER STRIKES OIL TODAY—DEPTH OF 500 FEET

The Burk-Waggoner Oil Company struck oil today at 500 feet in the same sand as found at Burkburnett. This is the substance of a telegram received just after 11 o'clock this morning from Clois L. Greene. The Burk-Waggoner is composed of Vernon people. Its holdings are about 2 1/2 miles north-west of Burkburnett.

## G. L. Ham Returns to Vernon.

G. L. Ham of Hereford has bought the R. S. Crow place on West Maiden street and will move from the plains to his new home in the near future. Mr. Ham formerly lived here, moving to Hereford about a year ago. Mr. Crow is packing his things and making preparations to move to Dallas.

Born—Tuesday, January 21, to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Frick in South Vernon, a girl.

## Worth Weight In Gold She Declares

"I Wouldn't Take Five Hundred Dollars for the Good Five Bottles of Tanlac Did Me," Says Mrs. Hunt. "I wouldn't take five hundred dollars for the good that five bottles of Tanlac have done me, and I just think it is worth its weight in gold," said Mrs. Naudie Hunt, 6019 New York Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee.

"I was told repeatedly that my nervousness could not be cured and it made me so dependent that I hardly knew what to do. Even the noise of the street cars passing would upset me so that I would shake like a leaf. My heart fluttered and palpitated and many a time I have had fainting spells and fallen to the floor. My stomach was so torn up that I couldn't even digest an egg, and this had gone on for five years until I was on the verge of nervous prostration."

"A friend of mine who knew my case had been given up as hopeless made me a present of three bottles of Tanlac, and it proved to be a priceless gift. I have taken five bottles altogether and have gained eleven pounds in weight and haven't had a nervous spell since last Christmas. I can eat anything I want and am building up every day. I just can't say too much in praising Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Vernon by T. M. Ferguson Drug Company. Adv. 11

## Current Comment

## War As an Educator.

The most interesting subject in the world is man, the next most interesting is earth, man's home. Our knowledge of geography has been doubled, nay tripled, since the war began. Four years ago the ignorance of the rank and file of us regarding the superficies of the planet on which we live was stupendous.

If the reports of the school examinations prior to 1914 are to be believed, the children in the grammar schools, and the students in the high schools as well, were deplorably off when it came to geography. Fortunately, all is different now. Today the knowledge of geography among us, from the little boys and girls up to the oldest of us, is going ahead by leaps and bounds.

Following the war news, we learn something new every day of countries and cities, of nations and tribes. In the battle accounts we learn of the terrain, of the flora and, to a certain extent, of the fauna, of many regions. From little San Marino to vast Siberia we have learned things of which, before the war, we had never so much as dreamed.

We know now how very small San Marino is, as well as where it is, and as for Siberia, we know—what many of us did not know four years ago—that it is as big as the United States and, instead of being a waste of desert, tundra and ice, is potentially one of the finest and richest portions of the earth's surface.

And the war news that has come to us from Allenby, Mandel and Marshall has opened our eyes as they had never been opened regarding the old Bible lands, Syria, Palestine and Mesopotamia. Every one now knows just how the famous rivers Tigris and Euphrates look, as well as the physical features of the ancient lands through which they flow.

As a teacher of history, the great war has done a wonderful work. It has brought to our minds in a wonderfully graphic and striking fashion what Denmark, and Poland, and Bohemia, used to be, and what they are striving to be again.

About the absorbing interesting story of Alsace-Lorraine we all know much more than we did in August, 1914; and of the international law, ancient and modern, the nature of government in general, and democratic government in particular, we have learned much that was hidden from us a few years back.

The great war is not only "making the world safe for democracy," it is showing what democracy is, and what the world is. As an educator the war is discounting all the schools and universities.—New York Mail.

G. L. Ham of Hereford arrived in Vernon yesterday to spend a few days transacting business.

Cards have been received in Vernon by friends announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Crawford at Bartlesville, Okla.

## Doans News.

Doans, Jan. 23.—(By special correspondence.)—Mrs. J. D. Allison of Hinds spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. J. S. Rowland.

Miss Bertha Thompson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Laura Owen.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ham, a girl, Sunday, January 12th.

Mrs. J. R. Harrison left Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Magee of Hess, Okla.

Ranzy Chemnault has returned home after two years service in France. He was wounded and disabled for further military service about six months ago, receiving an honorable discharge at that time.

Miss Lela Cannon of Clarendon visited at the home of her friend, Miss Winnie Owen, the past week.

Mr. Emmett is having some improvement made on his farm.

Miss Ola Eatmon visited Miss Hazel Thompson Saturday night and Sunday.

J. N. Fletcher, county superintendent, visited the school Tuesday.

C. F. Doans has returned to his home after a month's visit in Vernon with his daughter, Mrs. A. S. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Briscoe gave the young people a party Saturday evening.

Roy Watts of Vernon was here on business Tuesday.

Miss Adelaide Magee of Hess, Okla., spent from Friday to Sunday with her parents at that place. She is staying with her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Harrison and attending school.

W. A. Ish, W. A. Denny and T. J. Youngblood of Vernon were visitors at the Spring Lake Rod and Gun Club Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mack Wilson is sick this week.

An interesting program has been arranged for the Literary society Friday evening, January 24th. The public is invited.

## CHARGE IS MADE FOR CARD OF THANKS AND OBITUARIES

The Record finds it necessary to announce a charge of 50 cents for cards of thanks. Heretofore no charge has been made, although most other newspapers do charge for such. The amount is placed at the nominal figure of 50 cents to help bear the steadily mounting expense of producing a newspaper.

Recently a number of obituaries have been tendered The Record. For these it will be necessary to charge at the rate of 1 cent a word. Most church papers print obituaries, but newspapers seldom do.

In order to save bookkeeping, persons wishing to print a card of thanks are requested to send 50 cents with the card of thanks, and those sending in obituaries are requested to remit at the rate of 1 cent a word when the obituary is sent in.

The Record is glad to print without cost a full notice of deaths, as it does all other news.

## New Arrivals

Forty pieces new large Plaid Gingham, 32 inches wide.

New White Goods, Nainsooks, Cross Bar Dimities, Domestic, Sheeting, Made Sheets, Pillow Tubing, Pillow Cases.

Sweaters are going to be strong for spring. We have some beautiful new yarns. Knit now.

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## RICE BRAN SPECIAL

WE HAVE UNLOADED MORE THAN 100 TONS OF FLOUR AND FEED WITHIN THE LAST TWO WEEKS. IN ORDER TO TURN SOME OF IT INTO MONEY WE OFFER RICE BRAN FOR A FEW DAYS AT

HALF TON, 7 SACKS TON, 14 SACKS  
\$22.50 \$45.00

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NOT CHOPPED, BUT GROUND FINE—SEE THIS FEED  
100 POUNDS \$3.25 PER TON \$62.00  
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THE MOST SATISFACTORY FLOUR WE HAVE  
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WE BELIEVE FLOUR WILL ADVANCE

## CORN CO.

up-to-date STYLES on our  
EXTRA HEAVY NORTHERN  
We also have a  
PER BUSHEL  
we are selling at last year's prices.

SEE THIS CO. are cordially invited to call and see the bargains  
have for you.

TREVATH T. J. Youngblood  
FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS.

## VISIT Candyland AGAIN

We are remodeling, and will open for business Saturday, January 25, with a full stock of FRESH HOME MADE CANDIES. Also the BEST ICE CREAM that can be made. Your patronage will be appreciated.

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VERNON, TEXAS



## BRAVERY OF SON TOLD BY CAPTAIN

GRADY MILLER'S HEROIC DEATH  
DESCRIBED IN LETTER FROM  
PAUL ALBRIGHT.

Mrs. Mattie Miller of Harrold received a letter Monday, dated December 2, from Captain Paul Albright, of Company K, 14th Infantry, describing the heroic death of her son, Grady. The Harrold boy was killed in action October 13th, while making a charge on a machine gun nest. The mother had received no information other than that her son had been killed in action. The letter from his company commander describing the soldier's heroic sacrifice follows:

"I have been wanting to write to you for some time but because of the campaign we were in and our constant moving about it has been impossible for me to do so until now. During all this time, however, I have sympathized with you in the great loss you have sustained by the heroic death of your son.

"Mrs. Miller, the death of your noble son was keenly felt by myself, the other officers, and the men of the company. We all knew him well and those of us who came in contact with him in the daily performance of his military duties learned to admire his manly and soldierly qualities.

"Grady met his death on October 13th. The enemy was offering stubborn resistance to our advance and I was forced to call for volunteers to attack a machine gun nest which was holding us up. I am sure it must thrill your heart with pride, even in the hour of your deep bereavement, to know that your son was among the first to volunteer. He went forth bravely and accomplished his mission. But he never returned.

"I realize that his death is a severe blow to you, as it was to his comrades and officers. Although I feel that no words of mine can assuage the pain you feel, permit me, with my expression of sympathy and condolence, to utter the prayer that God may grant you the strength to bear this great sorrow.

"PAUL H. ALBRIGHT,  
Captain, Company K, 14th Infantry."

Call Walter Ladd's Service Car.  
Phone 188 or 121. Adv. 99-9p

## Red Bluff News.

Red Bluff, Jan. 22.—(By special correspondence.)—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Anderson of Hinds visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smithson, Sunday.

Miss Jessie Dunklin entertained a number of her friends Saturday night with a party.

Roy and Mark Jordan and Royce Lane visited Lester and Earl Duke of Hinds Sunday.

Miss Nora Karcher, who has been going to school in Vernon, returned Monday morning to begin her school work again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jordan and family and Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Barrett took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duke of Hinds Sunday and then attended the singing at Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allison's in the evening.

Miss Nannie Wines visited with home folks in Vernon Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Hoffman and children of West Vernon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Graf Sunday.

Verdie and Olin Adams, Olin Barrett, Ben and Pettit Smithson, Laffie Walker, Chester and Morgan Magnus, and Misses Lonella Jordan, Laura Smithson, Vivian Lane, Christine Barrett, and Mrs. Effie Hobson attended the singing at Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allison's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Keischnick vis-

ited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilderbrandt, Sunday.

J. W. Adams and daughters, Jewel and Lydia May, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Brady in Wildcat Sunday evening. Mrs. Brady returned home with them and visited until Monday.

Dewitt Norton of Lockett and Ernest Chadwick of Wildcat were visitors in this community Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Bolton visited Mrs. J. W. Johnson Tuesday evening.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walker, who have been very ill with influenza, are all reported better except Joe, who is still very sick.

Miss Louise Peters has recovered from an attack of mumps.

Mr. Rogers and family, who have been living in Fargo community, moved this week to the Ernest Schur place, where Charlie Hilderbrandt has been living.

Mrs. B. E. Lane, daughter and son, May and Howard, have been on the sick list this week.

Clint Castleberry has been unable to attend school for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Muller and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Welch Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Sims is visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Anderson.

Most all the men have been very busy working the roads this week.

Dr. Moody, Clyde Heath and Jack

Moody of Vernon visited in this community Tuesday evening.

## HEALTH TOURNAMENT PLANNED.

Red Cross and Public Schools to Co-operate in Effort to Stamp Out Disease.

The American Red Cross and the National Tuberculosis Association are announcing a Tournament of Modern Health Crusaders, which shall begin February 9th and continue until May 24, 1919. During the same time the Texas Public Health Association and the Southwestern Division of the Junior Red Cross are planning to conduct a similar contest in our State. The Modern Health Crusade Organization is Nation-wide in its membership, thousands of whom reside in the State of Texas. This children's health organization is greatly desired by children

who have come to know of its purpose.

The Chapter School Committee of the County Chapter has full information regarding this Crusade and the two tournaments mentioned. School teachers are particularly interested in the contests. A letter from Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent, addressed to the school teachers of Texas, contains the following paragraph:

"In view of the alarming conditions of the past few months, I feel it important that every teacher of the State should aid in the plans of the Junior Red Cross and the Texas Public Health Association, for the organization of a Modern Health Crusade. In this warfare against disease none of us can afford to become 'slackers'."

Additional information may be secured by writing Miss Louise Hunter, Texas Crusade Director, Texas Public Health Association, 616 Littlefield Building, Austin, Texas.

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\$5.00 Shoes for men at	\$4.45
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\$4.00 Shoes for boys at	3.35
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\$5.00 Shoes for boys at	4.45

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"With each successive lurch the vessel shipped great quantities of water, and though pumps were kept going and the boilers emptied, the volume of water was ever increasing."

"The coast with its treacherous reefs, was looming nearer. It was out of

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## URGE REASONS WHY WHEAT GUARANTEE SHOULD BE KEPT

Secretary of Oklahoma Farmers Co-operative Society Points Out That Expense of Planting This Year's Crop Was Very Great—Says Farmers Took Risk on Government's Promise

H. E. Hauser, secretary of the Oklahoma Farmers Co-operative Organization, does not believe that the Government can afford to break faith with the farmers in the matter of a guaranteed price on wheat. In the following communication he calls attention to some facts from the farmers' standpoint as to why a high price for wheat is fair:

"Referring to a recent article by Frank Kell of Wichita Falls, advocating that the price guaranteed by the Government for wheat be withdrawn, permit me to say that the Oklahoma Farmers Co-operative Organization feels that this is a matter on which the farmers should express themselves. While they should be fair, yet the facts show that they have taken a heavy risk and it is no more than justice that their risk should be recognized when the question of whether or not the Government shall keep faith with the farmers comes up.

"Not only have many farmers risked everything on wheat (and this risk was assumed because of the Government's guaranteed price), they have paid an extremely high price for seed wheat, and a high price for feed to put in a wheat crop. The price of \$2.35 to \$2.50 a bushel for seed wheat was a Government price, and allowed the millers a fair profit.

### Price Not Unreasonable.

"With corn at \$1.80 a bushel, wheat should be worth \$3, speaking relatively. So we see that the price guaranteed by the Government is not abnormally high.

"The wheat speculators and cotton speculators are working together on this proposition, both planning big returns. The wheat speculator wants the Government to withdraw the guarantee on wheat, so that the price will fall, and the cotton speculators want the guarantee withdrawn so that a larger percent of land now in wheat will be planted to cotton, resulting in a large cotton crop, thereby giving him a better opportunity to beat down the price paid the farmer, and speculate profitably on cotton next fall.

"If Mr. Kell feels that the millers are so philanthropic, as his recent letter indicates, why does he not try to reduce the price of flour, as well as lowering the price of wheat planted under a Government guarantee.

"After considering the proposition from all angles, farmers in our part of Wilbarger county feel that the Government can not afford to break its pledge to the farmer. They think this is reasonable because of the heavy expense the farmer has been to and the large risk he assumed as a result of the Government's request for more wheat to feed the world."

"Signed: H. E. HAUSER,

"Secretary, Oklahoma Farmers Co-operative Organization."

### EFFIE LEON VAUGHN DIES.

Daughter of Willis Vaughn Was Taken Sick Friday—Buried at East View Wednesday.

Effie Leon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Vaughn, died Wednesday morning. She was taken sick Friday after coming home from school, and the doctor pronounced the disease influenza.

Funeral services were held at East View Cemetery Wednesday afternoon by Elder J. B. Smith.

Effie Leon was born September 10, 1907, being 11 years, 4 months and 12 days old. She is survived by six sisters and two brothers—Mmes. Florida Lacy, Abbie Moore, and Blanche Moore of Tolbert; Mrs. Sadie Thompson, Perry, Lois, Lynn, and Eula Mildred Vaughn of West Vernon.

Mr. Vaughn moved to West Vernon in December from his farm two and a half miles east of Tolbert. His friends at both places will unite in sympathy for the bereaved family.

### County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, will, on February 10th, 1919, as provided for under chapter eleven, page 10, General Laws Regular Session 35th Legislature of the State of Texas, receive sealed proposals from any Banking Corporation, Association or individual banker in such county, that may desire to be selected as the Depository of the funds of such county. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

2-3c Adv. E. L. McHUGH County Judge.

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## White City News.

White City, Jan. 20.—(By special correspondence.)—The beautiful days we are having are appreciated by everyone, as it is hoped the warm weather and sunshine will check the spread of the terrible influenza epidemic, and help for a speedy recovery of those suffering from the disease. There has been no new influenza cases reported in our vicinity in more than two weeks. All should feel thankful that we have escaped thus far, with only one death in our vicinity, from influenza, while so many are dying in adjoining communities.

Little Claud Dennis Kemp, age ten years, five months and fifteen days, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Kemp of Odell, died Saturday, January 11, 8:45 p. m., from complications following influenza. He was sick one week, but took dangerously ill Friday night before he succumbed Saturday. Little Dennis was noticed and admired by all who knew him for the unusual ability he possessed along the mechanical line. He could construct a toy airplane and automobile that were remarkably like machines in use. Mr. and Mrs. Kemp and their two children formerly lived in Forney, Kaufman county, but moved to Odell about six months ago, where Mr. Kemp began work as gunner at the Sutton gin.

Little Dennis was a nephew of Mrs. W. W. Adams. The body was shipped to Forney Sunday for burial, accompanied by the father and Jno. Knapp. His mother being ill, could not go. She and her daughter remained here with Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams.

A number of young people enjoyed a party at the Hamlin home last Thursday night.

Corporal Carl Adams arrived Saturday January 11, from Camp Travis where he was mustered out of U. S. service, having been sent to Camp Travis from Camp Johnston, Fla., a month previous, but was placed under quarantine against measles and remained there until Friday. Corporal Adams left Vernon September 5, for Camp Travis, but remained there only a short time, while under influenza quarantine; then he, with others, were transferred to Camp Johnston, Fla., where he was placed in the quartermasters corps, preparatory to overseas duty. His company was due to leave the United States in four days, after the armistice was signed.

Charlie Coffey and Ernest Gibson sons of Mrs. M. A. Coffey arrived the past week from camp, bearing an honorable discharge. Charlie arrived Sunday night, January 12, from Camp John Wise San Antonio, where he has been for sometime, having been transferred there from Camp Travis, where he was last August. Ernest arrived Saturday from Camp Bowie, where he had been since he enlisted under Captain Brier in 1917. He has been in the aviation corps.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams had

the following visitors Sunday afternoon, January 12: Mrs. D. D. Kemp and daughter, Eldis; Mrs. R. J. Stowe and children, Ol and Lela, Miss Theresa Hazard, Miss Mary Stowe, Clyde Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong and little daughters of Doans, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Anderson, Mrs. Jno. M. Knapp and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams and little son.

School is progressing nicely, with very good enrollment.

The White City and Hauk basketball teams will meet Friday evening, January 24, on the White City basketball court, for the first game of the season.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Adams, a 10-pound boy, Wednesday, January 15. He has been named Russell Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stowe and Mrs. B. K. Griffith visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Adams Thursday.

Mrs. Coffey and family have recently moved to the place recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keesee. They are still in our community.

Will James arrived Wednesday morning from Camp Travis, where he has been since September 5. He received an honorable discharge January 14. Will was in the base hospital eighty days, from different causes. He had pneumonia and also underwent an operation. Friends are glad he is steadily improving and hope he will soon be entirely well again.

Carie and Una Mae Adams and Luther Anderson spent Saturday night with their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong of Doans, Mrs. Armstrong and little daughters, Ruth and Doris, returned with them for a few days visit with her parents.

Mrs. Mabel Anderson and little sons, Fred and Leon, spent Saturday night with their aunt, Mrs. D. D. Kemp and family, in Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry White received letters from their brothers, Ava and Clint, in France last week. They were both getting along fine, but didn't know anything about when they were coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gault have received their second communication from their son, Albert, since his landing in France, some two months ago. His letter was dated November 28.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nunn of College Grove, Tenn., left Monday for their home, after having visited Mrs. Nunn's sister, Mrs. A. M. Hiatt.

## ODELL PERSONALS.

R. W. Rainey and C. E. Foster left Sunday morning for Comanche county. They will return the last of the week.

Mrs. Ella Keys returned home Sunday after a few days' visit at Chillicothe.

Mrs. Jim Leak and children of Vernon spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Leak's mother, Mrs. Holloway.

Mrs. Joe Towrie, who lives east of Odell a few miles, is real low. Mrs. Towrie has not been well since she underwent an operation some time ago.

Miss Maggie Vassay, who accompanied Miss Alma Beach home, has returned after a few days' visit at Wichita Falls.

Bert Belcher returned home Tuesday afternoon from Chillicothe where he had been to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, W. H. Hendricks.

E. W. Moon and son, Ernest, left Tuesday afternoon for Oklahoma, where they went in the interest of the Western Oklahoma Gin Company. They will be gone some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Newsom from Vernon motored to Odell Sunday afternoon and spent a few hours with Mrs. Newsom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Williams.

D. C. Vassay has purchased the W. B. Beach home place and has moved in from his farm three miles east of Odell. The consideration was not public. Mr.

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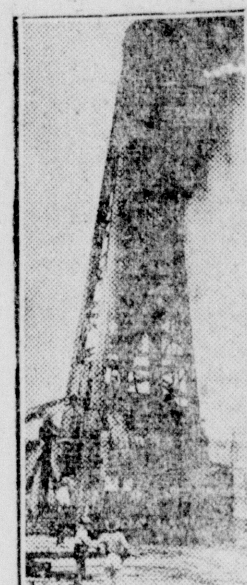
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## Elliott News.

Elliott, Jan. 23.—(By special correspondence.)—Elliott high school closed Monday for an indefinite period on account of so many having the influenza.

Messrs. Louis Ranes, Hugh Jackson and P. C. Radwater all have several down at their homes with the influenza.

Dr. J. C. King says he has forty cases of pneumonia around Harrold and Elliott.

Rev. Morgan held services at the Baptist church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Miss Eva Gough returned home Sunday after spending the week at Electrica.

S. P. King of Guyer spent Sunday in Elliott.

The Elliott gin closed down last Monday.

Miss Aileen Hollar visited home folks Saturday and Sunday in Vernon.

The nice spring weather we have been having for the last few weeks has certainly been help to the small grain crops, all of which are coming out nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith are the proud parents of a baby boy, which arrived the 19th. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Miss Mildred Bowers, who has been out of school on account of having the influenza, returned to her home south-east of Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Elliott hasn't had any deaths from the influenza at this writing. We all earnestly hope that it will continue so.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL STUDY THE JEWS FEBRUARY 10

Mrs. W. D. Berry, superintendent of Bible study for the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, announces that the lesson for February 10 will be on "The Jews," and taken from Hebrews. The class will meet at 3 o'clock. Following is the program:

Scripture lesson, Romans X, 12-21; prayer, Mrs. T. A. Scutlock; "Quotations from the Bible Concerning the Jews," Bible study class; "Define the terms Hebrew, 'Israelite,' and 'Jew,' and Explain Their Application Today," Mrs. J. W. Abbott; "The Religious Belief of the Jews," Mrs. L. E. McCurdy; "The Customs of the Jews," Mrs. J. A. Lucky; "The Hated Jew," Mrs. H. M. Long; "The Blessed Jew," Mrs. H. F. Brooks; "The Legend of the Wandering Jew," Mrs. C. J. Farrell; "A Modern Jewish Synagogue," Mrs. R. D. L. Kilgough; "Restoration of the Jews to Jerusalem," Mrs. G. W. Backus; Lesson summary by the class.

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## STATE SENATE ADOPTS PROHIBITION AMENDMENT

Austin, January 23.—(By special correspondence.)—By a vote of thirty to one, the Senate today adopted the House Statewide prohibition amendment to the constitution, fixing the date for May 24, on which the amendment shall be voted on.

The resolution now goes to the Governor for his signature. Senator Clark voted against the resolution.

Senator Herzberg of San Antonio today introduced a joint resolution in the Senate proposing an amendment to the constitution increasing the salary of the Governor from \$4,000 to \$10,000.

A joint resolution was introduced by Senator Dean increasing the amount of ad valorem taxes that may be levied and he also presented one authorizing cities and towns of 5,000 or less to increase the amount of taxes that may be levied.

A bill was introduced by Senator Dorrigh requiring all joint agreements of stock companies and limited partnerships and common law agreements to file a certified copy in the office of the Secretary of State, as well as with the county clerk.

## JUDGE SPENCER SUCCEUMS AT FORT WORTH HOSPITAL

Judge Hugh D. Spencer, fatally injured by shots from a pistol in the hands of a man he did not know, died Monday morning at 8 o'clock at the Johnson-Reall Sanitarium in Fort Worth where he was taken following the shooting on the public square at Decatur, Saturday.

Spencer was shot through the shoulder, through the lower part of the stomach and a third shot penetrated his liver. An operation was performed but practically no hope for his recovery was entertained.

He is survived by a six-year-old son and four brothers, R. S. Spencer, C. F. Spencer, F. L. Spencer, and F. M. Spencer. The body was taken to Decatur for burial.

Judge Spencer was formerly prosecuting attorney of the 46th Judicial District, composed of Wilbarger, Foard, Hardeman, Collingsworth, Childress, and Hall counties.

Wesley Wilson was here yesterday from Quanah. He is with the Express company there.

Urbell Curlee and Ernest Sikerson of Quanah visited friends in Vernon the first part of the week.

Mrs. Albert Mason went to Wichita Falls yesterday to spend a few days with her husband, who is there in the oil business.

## FOR SALE

## Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—One Second Hand Threshing Outfit for sale. Also one registered Poland China Boar, 20 months old. Can see property at farm. J. H. Kincheloe. 103-16tp

SECOND HAND FORD delivery truck for sale. Trevathan's Cash Store. 1tc

FOR SALE—Board tire, low wheel wagon in good shape. Worth the money. Shamburger Lumber Yard. 3-2tc

FOR SALE—2 sheds at Federal Building. See F. A. Sable. 2-3tp

FOR SALE—On account of leaving town February 1, I will sacrifice my \$750 parlor grand piano at a remarkably low price. Part cash and notes for the balance. See S. J. Epperson at the Dixon Dry Goods Company. 2-2tp

FOR SALE—Extra fine S. C. R. I. Red cockerels. Also pullets and yearling hens. T. A. Berry & Son, P. O. Box 622, or Phone 500, Vernon, Texas. 99-9tp

## LOST, FOUND OR STRAYED.

LOST—Short ducking coat, with corduroy collar, last Saturday afternoon. Finder return to S. C. Burns on A. M. Boulevard farm and receive reward. 1tp

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One iron gray mare about seven years old, blocky built, with sink place on left side of neck and is about fifteen hands high. One dark bay or brown horse mule, about eleven years old, about fourteen hands high, with bluish on left front foot. There will be a liberal reward paid for them. If found, notify A. W. Fortner, Ford City, Texas, Rt. 1. 3-3tp

## Wednesday Club Gives \$18.

The Wednesday Club has made a donation of \$18 to the local Red Cross for carrying on its work. Mrs. J. A. Birdsong is president, and Mrs. A. H. Murchison is treasurer of the Wednesday Club.

Second-hand Ford delivery car for sale. Trevathan's Cash Store. Adv. Itc

Sam Bourland arrived yesterday morning from Camp Travis. He has been discharged from the service.

Rev. H. E. Stubbs and Walter Ladd went to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

A. C. Shadup of Burkburnett was in Vernon on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. Davie Thompson went to Hereford yesterday on business. Mr. Thompson owns considerable ranch interests in that country and is planning to move out there some time in the spring.

Leland Carrington arrived Tuesday from Oklahoma City to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carrington. He is with the express company and runs out of Oklahoma City as messenger.

## FOR SALE.

## Real Estate

FOR SALE—Nice house, good location, close in. Has four rooms and bath. Harry Colley, at Waggoner National Bank. 3-3tp

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## Livestock and Poultry.

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WHITE ROCK EGGS at \$2.50 a setting. Phone 549. Mrs. N. R. Tisdal. 2-2tc

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## WANTED.

WANTED WORK—Experienced dry goods and grocery clerk wants work. Am a resident of Vernon and want to stay here. W. P. McCarthen, 423 S. Mesquite St. 3-2tc

WANTED—To buy 15 or 25 acres of land close to Vernon. Must be good value for cash. See me at once. Max Knauth, 126 South Lexington St. 1tp

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

POSTED NOTICE—The public is hereby warned not to trespass on the J. H. Watts farm. No hunting is allowed. Violators will be prosecuted. 91-19tc

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—2 room house, car house and shed, good water, 2 acres of land, with place. Joe A. King at Hampton Metal & Plumbing Co. 2-3tp

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Labor .....	90.00
Salaries and all office expense .....	50.00
Insurance .....	206.00
Fuel and lights .....	90.00
Extras and incidentals .....	50.00
Total.....	\$5,226.00

## DAILY OUTPUT.

700 barrels gasoline, 42 gallons per barrel, at 18c .....	\$5,292.00
160 barrels blending stock, 42 gallons per barrel, at 9 1-2c .....	638.40
520 barrels kerosene, 42 gallons per barrel, at 7 1-2c .....	1,638.00
620 barrels fuel oil, 42 gallons per barrel, at \$2.25 .....	1,395.00
Total .....	\$8,963.40
Daily expense .....	5,226.00
NET PROFIT DAILY.....	\$3,737.40

Contracted for sufficient crude oil to operate our plant at full capacity as soon as it is ready for work. Successful business men; and our plant will be installed and operated under the direction of experienced refiners.

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"The sea was calm, and the gale, and the known that he was risk in trying to Otranto under such conditions did not hesitate, and the he was able to rescue so many damaged vessel, is a sterling his magnificent seamanship.

## Destroyer Also Dams

"Courage and resource his achievement all the worthy, inasmuch as some of the destroyer's oil tanks had been damaged and it was doubtful whether under severe handicap she herself would be able to weather the storm.

"Both officers and men on the destroyer responded with alacrity to the commander's orders, and in their humane efforts they all worked like Trojans.

"Scenes after the destroyer had steamed away with her burden of human souls were even more dramatic. The destroyer had come alongside three times and on each successive occasion parties from the Otranto made a desperate leap for life. The destroyer left with nearly 500 persons on board. She had to battle with a wind of extreme velocity and was buffeted by mountainous seas.

"With each successive lurch the vessel shipped great quantities of water, and rough pumps were kept going and the boilers emptied, the volume of water was ever increasing.

"The coast with its treacherous reefs, was looming nearer. It was out of

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## TO STUDY MOVEMENT.

Woman's Missionary Society Announces Program for Monday With Mrs. J. E. Dodson Leader.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in the missionary parlour of the church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, January 27. Subject of the meeting is "The Call of the Centenary." Mrs. J. E. Dodson is leader. The following program has been arranged:

Hymn—"Soldiers of Christ, Arise!" Bible Lesson—"The Life of Prayer a Life of Discovery: (1) Discovery of God, (2) Discovery of the Will of God." the Leader; Roll Call to be responded to with some fact concerning the Centenary Movement; Hymn—"My faith Looks Up to Thee;" "The History and Aim of the Centenary Movement;"—Mrs. W. E. Mayes; "The Call of the Past;"—Mrs. L. D. Terrell; "The Call of the Present;"—Mrs. L. G. Hawkins; "News from the Field: (1) Message from the Home Base;"—Mrs. G. W. Backus; "(2) From Across the sea;"—Mrs. D. H. Henry; "Our Task for 1919;"—Mrs. J. N. Johnson; Solo—"O, Jesus I Have Promised;"—"The Pledge;"—Mrs. H. F. Brooks; Prayer—"Pray that every woman in American Methodism may be touched by the great Centenary movement, and the church may speed-

ily give to the world its 'supreme necessity,' Jesus Christ. 'We belittle Christianity and break for force of the message to the world at home and abroad if we scale down our plans at a time like this.'—John R. Mott."

## Resolution of Respect.

Resolutions passed by the L. S. Ross Chapter U. D. C. on the death of Mrs. W. S. Terrell, who departed this life December 4th, 1918.

The angel of silence has folded his silken wings in our chapter, the lips of our mother have been sealed by his chilled fingers; lips whose words we can ill afford to miss. We are that we are an orphaned chapter, in whose one can fill her place. Still, we come to do her homage as is fitting her daughters, by recounting a few of her noble efforts for the cause that lay so near her heart:

Resolved, 1st, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the gallant soldier whose home is desolate and heart bereft by her going away, to the son and daughters who listen for the sound of the dear voice that is still. For each member of our chapter who feels lost without the inspiration of her presence:

Resolved, 2nd, As we mark her vacant chair we feel that she is not far away, her spirit is ever near the cause

that she strove so faithfully to perpetuate in word, deed and marble:

Resolved, 3rd, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family, one to our home paper, and one kept upon our minute book.

Realizing that no brief memorial could cover all the phases of so rare a character as our mother president.

Respectfully submitted by the Daughters of the U. D. C.

MRS. S. SEWELL,  
MRS. H. H. RHOADS,  
MRS. J. W. KERR,  
Committee.

## Announcements for Sunday, Jan. 26.

First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Vernon, Texas, Rev. Henry F. Brooks, pastor.

9:45 a. m., Sunday School—L. G. Hawkins, Superintendent.

11:30 a. m., Sermon by the pastor, subject: "The Parable of the Unjust Steward."

6:15 p. m., the Junior Missionary Society, Mrs. R. D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

6:15 p. m., the Senior Epworth League, Miss Mary Davis, President.

7:15 p. m., sermon by the pastor, subject, "Jesus, and His Influence Versus German 'Kultur'."

Special and appropriate music at all services under the direction of Mrs. P. W. Hendrix, and Miss Enid McCarroll.

At the morning service the choir will render the excellent anthem by Pearls entitled "Love Divine All Love Excelling." At the evening service they will sing Petrie's "Light of the World." Mr. Edwin Lisman will sing a solo part in both numbers.

Master Weldon Tenzard will render on the trombone "Silver Threads Among the Gold," and will be assisted by Miss Katherine Pierce on the violin and Miss McCarroll on the piano.

Music chorals and the word thrills and uplifts. Come and enjoy the day with us. We especially invite all men who labor and believe in organized labor to worship with us on Sunday night when the dignity of labor will be lifted up and the righteousness of organization vindicated.

HENRY F. BROOKS, Pastor.

## Central Christian Church.

Bible School at 9:45. Preaching service at 11 a. m., subject "The Parable of the Good Shepherd." The subject for the night service, at 7:30 p. m., will be "The Great Text Book." The general public is cordially invited to attend these services.

H. E. STUBBS, Pastor.

Mrs. J. E. Shaw and daughter, Lois Earl, are here from Wichita Falls visiting Mrs. Shaw's mother, Mrs. S. E. Smith.

## J. G. DYER DIES AT AGE OF 89.

Masonic Lodge Conduct Burial Service for Member Who Had Lived in Vernon 28 Years.

J. G. Dyer died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Strickland, in Vernon. Funeral services were conducted at the residence yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. T. Rouse, after which the Masonic lodge took charge of the remains. Interment was in East View Cemetery.

Mr. Dyer was born in 1829, being 89 years, 1 month, and 29 days old. He had lived in Vernon three years more than a quarter of a century, coming here from Limestone county.

Deceased is survived by four sons and one daughter. These are Bud in Limestone county, John in Loving, Frank, Jim, and Mrs. Virginia Strickland in Vernon. Friends join in sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

J. C. Hickernell, recently of Call Field, is figuring with P. H. Robinson, L. D. Terrell, and F. W. Grogan on drilling their first well on the lease of the Liberty Oil & Development Company.

Second-hand Ford delivery car for sale. Trevathan's Cash Store, Adv. 11c

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Douglas Edwards of Wichita Falls visited his mother, Mrs. M. E. Edwards, the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holley are moving to Wichita Falls where Mr. Holley has accepted a position.

## HOT DRINKS

## THIS HOT DRINK TIME

Drop in and get a delicious warming drink of Hot Soda, Chocolate, Beef Tea or Bouillon. We serve all kinds of hot and cold drinks at our soda fountain.

Our fountain and cooking utensils are clean and sanitary at all times. We court inspection. Drop in the next time you happen in the neighborhood.

Try a Cup of Our Hot Coffee and Sandwiches. They make a delicious lunch.

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## MOVING NOTICE

We have moved our Grocery Store from south of the public square

To

Parker Feed Store Building

at 122 West Texas St.

Near American Express Co.

Here we shall offer the same values in merchandise, and be better prepared to take care of our customers. Call and see us.

THE PEOPLE'S CASH AND CARRY GROCERY

E. E. EGGLESTON, Prop.  
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## January Clearance Sale

On account of the bad weather and sickness before Christmas, we failed to sell with a very large stock on hand.

February being our inventory month, we propose to make some very low prices the next thirty days in order to reduce the stock at that time. It will pay you to look through our STOCK and get prices before you buy.

You will find up-to-date STYLES on our sample of all the new finishes in Walnut and Oak. We also have a lot of Reed-Fibre goods, the latest patterns out. We still have a very large stock of RUGS, we are selling at last year's prices.

We are cordially invited to call and see the bargains we have for you.

T. J. Youngblood

FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS.



## Sales of White



Our January White Sale means a big saving to our customers. We have many lines of white goods and muslin underwear that were bought many months ago, which enables us to give you white merchandise at prices that mean positive savings, the most beautiful underwear in all qualities.

**Sale Started Saturday, Jan. 18; Ends Friday, Jan. 31**

## 20 PER CENT OFF.

All Voiles, Batiste, Organdy, White Lawns, Soft Lin Weave fabrics, White Skirtings, Dimity Checks, Long Cloth and Nainsooks.

Regular 35c White Voile, 40 inches wide, marked .27c  
Regular 50c White Voile, 40 inches wide, marked .39c  
White Flaxon in the regular 35c quality, now .27c  
White Lin Weave, 35c quality, now only .27c  
White Lin Weave, 50c quality, 40 inches wide, now .39c  
Organdie, Sheer white crisp finish, regular price 75c a yard, white sale, marked .59c  
White Skirtings, extra values at 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a yard, now .27c, 39c, 59c and 79c  
Nainsook, most excellent for undergarments, 36 to 45 inches wide, regular price 35c, 45c, 65c and 75c a yard, in this white sale at .27c, 36c, 49c and 59c  
Long Cloth, soft for undergarments, splendid values at 25c, 35c and 50c a yard, now .19c, 27c and 39c

We have many special bargains that we haven't space to mention here. **COME AND PARTICIPATE IN THE YEAR'S LOWEST SCALE OF PRICES!**

Here we tell you of many interesting specials in White Goods for the White Sale, offering materials for Underwear, Blouses, Summer frocks, etc., at prices much in your favor.



## 20 PER CENT OFF.

All Table Linen and Napkins to match. We are showing some real values that were bought before the present high prices on linens.

64 inch Satin Damask, 75c values, now .59c  
72 inch Satin Damask, \$1.00 values, now .79c  
72 inch all Linen Damask, \$1.50 values .81.19  
72 inch, all Linen Damask, \$2.00 values, now 1.59  
36 inch soft Bleaching, 25c values, now .19c  
36 inch soft Bleaching, 35c values, now .27c  
36 inch fine Bleaching, 30c values, now .23c  
20 per cent off on all Sheeting and Pillow Casing.  
Turkish Towels, extra values, at 35c, now, per pair 27c  
Turkish Towels, extra values at 75c, now per pair .59c  
Turkish Towels, extra large, extremely heavy, great values at \$1.25, extra special, at .98c

## 20 PER CENT OFF.

White Bed Spreads, all Blankets and Quilts. You will find these extra values.

Some extra special bargains in Embroideries and Laces on special tables.

## 20 Per Cent Discount.

on Muslin and Batiste Gowns. Step in and Envelope Chemise of striking new styles finished with choice lawns and ribbon. Gowns selling at:

\$1.50, now .120  
\$2.50, now 2.00  
Chemise selling at:  
\$1.25, now .100  
\$1.75, now 1.40  
\$2.75, now 2.20

## Philippine Hand-Embroidered Gowns and Teddies.

Gowns in many designs with Teddies to match selling for:

\$3.50 to \$3.95, at .2.85  
\$4.50 to \$4.95, at 3.65  
Teddies selling for \$3.50 to \$3.95 .2.85

## 20 Per Cent Discount

on all plain and fancy lace trimmed Brassiers. Garments selling at:

65c now .50c  
\$1.00 now .80c  
\$1.50 now .1.20

Shadow Proof Petticoats, Tub Silk, with lace trimmed flowers, reinforced back and front, selling at \$3.95 to \$4.95, now .2.95

## Some Corset Bargains.

Gossard Corsets, good values at:  
\$7.50, now .6.00  
\$6.50, now 5.20  
\$5.00, now 4.09  
\$3.50, now 2.80  
LaCamille Corsets, good values at \$5.50, now .4.10  
\$4.50, now 3.10  
\$3.50, now 2.80  
W. B. Corsets, good values at:  
\$3.00, now 2.40  
\$3.50, now 2.80  
\$5.00, now 4.00

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